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Orlando Bosch Avila - DDO - Six Volumes

# 201-299-292

\* Volume I Third agency material in sealed envelopes.  
all FBI  
# 7 a Undated report

Dr Orlando Bosch Avila (am [DITTO/23])

DPOB: 18 Aug 1926, Santa Clara, Cuba

Bosch was one of many critical of CIA policy & personnel following Bay of Pigs. However, in March 1962, WAVE requested a POA on Bosch advising he was "cooperative and secure." To be utilized as General Coordinator of Eulio Duque group. POA granted on 6 March 1962. Given polygraph in May 1962 & came out clean.

His clearance was cancelled in Nov. 1962.

Bosch aligns himself with individuals and organizations that are currently involved in operations against Cuba, usually serving as General Coordinator & takes responsibility for securing financial backing.

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(2) 7 June 1965

Biographical Data Report - Orlando Bosch Avila

Personal Data: Bosch is shrewd, cunning, devious & deceptive. He is primarily an adventurer & probably an anarchist rather than a true revolutionary. He is probably paranoid psychopath. He is a good doctor but neglects his job to devote time to raiding activities. He is a notorious liar & has several times

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Announced raids over Cuba which never occurred.

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Volume II - No. notes 1965 - 68

Third agency deletions - <sup>nine</sup> sealed envelopes - all FBI

Volume III 1968 - 1974

3rd agency deletions - 16 sealed envelopes - all FBI

No. notes.

Volume IV 1975 - 1978

① Third agency deletions - <sup>23</sup> sealed envelopes.

② DOD document - Intelligence Report dtd 9 June 1976

# 2231 0221 76

470<sup>th</sup> MI Group, Ft Amador - Canal Zone

Subject: Cuban exile Terrorist Group

③ SS Cable 21 Feb. 1976. - San Jose 105

Subject: Re Arrest of Juan Bosch at this location

④ 5 envelopes 55 documents re: visit of Henry Kissinger to Caracas, circa Feb. 1976.

⑤ ~~Remainder - FBI~~ USAF Cable from JCS 10 Jan 1978  
File # MSG NO 46 (MIR) Subject: Venezuelan Aircraft Security Threat Eppande.

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⑤ State cables - Nov, Dec. 1977 - Visas for wife & child of Orlando Bosch

⑥ State cables - bombings - July 12-13, 1976

⑦ Remainder sealed envelopes - FBI documents

② 12 Feb. 1976 Cable IN 824723

CITE: [Caracas] 29063 16-23 16-29

To: Priority director, [Santiago], [ ] LA/Miami

[WK Scarlet-3] (former unilateral asset) advises he is investigating bombing Cuban ambassador, Caracas & is travelling during week of 15 Feb to Santiago, Buenos Aires & Miami.

Cuban Ambassador Norberto Hernandez Curbelo reported receiving bomb in large manila envelope bearing return address of Dr. Gustavo A. Vollmer.

[WK Scarlet/1], former [WK Scarlet] chief, is security consultant to Vollmer & has retained [WK Scarlet/3] who is operating a commercial investigation service, to determine who used Vollmer's name.

[WK Scarlet/3] maintains contacts with Orlando Bosch.

18 Feb. 1978 Cable IN 830506 CITE: [Caracas] 29129

③ Frank Castro had knowledge of attempt to assassinate <sup>nephew of Allende</sup> ~~Jorge Kastinger~~ & told [WK Scarlet/3].

In order to use information, Agency afraid they will compromise [WK Scarlet/3]

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② Volume V August 1976 - October 1976

Third Agency deletions - 10 sealed envelopes, State & FBI  
No. notes.

Volume VI -

Third Agency deletions - 6 sealed envelopes:

4 FBI - 2 State - Oct. 1976 -

③ 12 Nov. 1976

Cable 943114 16-23 16-15 16-17

To: Priority [Santiago] Info [San Jose], [Caracas]

p.3 #2 Morales was source of numerous secret service reports during Kissinger visit to Caracas in Feb. 1976 on reported attempt by Bosch to kill Kissinger. One SS report indicated Morales had provided Caracas legal attache with reliable info in the past.

② Dispatch 15 Nov. 1976

to Chief: LA Division - 16-17

From: Chief of Station, [redacted]

03 [NOC Ryson W. Gutstadt] met [WK Scarf X3] 01  
in 1964 when both were enrolled in OCS at Ft. Benning, Ga.

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Loose Documents

One sealed envelope - F-B-I documents detected

Bosch, Orlando - C-97563

One sealed envelope - Office of Security Information

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Orlando Bosch Avila - Office of Security 257 921

1. Volume - Dates 1962-78

Deletions - 1 sealed envelope

① 5 March 1977 Cable 1N 207098

To: Director CITE [Caracas].<sup>16-17</sup>

Response to a 4 March news article in  
"El Mundo"; Caracas - Named CIA  
spies as Orlando Bosch, Ricardo Morales  
Navarrete, Orlando Garcia Vasquez, Luis  
Posada Carriles - etc. Cable states  
"fortunately, none are currently active assets."

② 8 April 1977. Memo; Chief: Security Analysis

Group. From: John F Sullivan Jr./Michael W. Renck.

Subject: El mundo Exposure

Office of Security indices check on names  
(some of which outlined in #1, above).

"In those cases above where a security  
file exists, there is no evidence that any  
of the individuals are current, active assets."

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